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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: PEBR, CG, CH
SUBJECT: VISIT OF CHINESE FOREIGN MINISTER

REF: KINSHASA 5802 (NOTAL)

1. DURING CONVERSATION REPORTED REFTTEL, FOREIGN MINISTER UMBA
REFERRED
TO CURRENT VISIT HERE OF CHINESE FOREIGN MINISTER HUANG HUA
AND ASKED IF I WOULDN'T LIKE HIM (UMBA) TO REQUEST THAT
THE MINISTER RECEIVE ME. I TOLD UMBA THAT WAS ENTIRELY UP TO
THE MINISTER; THAT OUR SECRETARY OF STATE HAD ONLY RECENTLY MET
WITH HUANG AND I HAD NO PARTICULAR REASON TO ASK FOR AN APPOINT-
MENT; IF HUANG WISHED TO SEE ME, I WOULD OF COURSE BE PLEASED TO
MEET HIM.

2. IT IS CLEAR THE GOZ (WITH OR WITHOUT CHINESE ENCOURAGEMENT)
IS TRYING TO GIVE SOME STRESS TO THE IMPRESSION THAT US AND CHINA ARE

TOGETHER BACKING ZAIRE IN ITS CURRENT CONFRONTATION WITH SOVIET/
CUBAN-SUPPORTED AGGRESSION. NOT ONLY WAS I AMONG A DOZEN OR
SO AMBASSADORS INVITED TO DINNER HOSTED LAST NIGHT BY UMBA FOR
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HUANG, BUT ALONG WITH MY MOROCCAN COLLEAGUE I WAS ONLY CHIEF OF
MISSION (ASIDE FROM DEAN OF CORPS) SEATED WITH HUANG AT TABLE
OF HONOR. DURING TOASTS HUANG MADE ANOTHER STRONG ATTACK ON
"SOCIO-IMPERIALIST SUPER POWER" WHICH IS NOW SEEKING TO EXTEND
ITS HEGEMONY OVER ZAIRE AND ALL OF AFRICA. UMBA TOLD ME
PRIVATELY THAT HUANG HAD EXPRESSED SATISFACTION THAT THE US
WAS FINALLY SEEING THE LIGHT WITH RESPECT TO WHAT THE SOVIETS

WERE UP TO ON THIS CONTINENT. HE ALSO MENTIONED THAT CHINESE
"SECOND VICE PREMIER" WOULD VISIT ZAIRE BEFORE THE END OF THE
YEAR.

3. WHILE I HAVE NO IDEA WHETHER UMBA WILL PURSUE IDEA OF MY
MEETING WITH HUANG, WOULD APPRECIATE ANY GUIDANCE DEPARTMENT
MAY HAVE IN CASE HE DOES.
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